

ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
PROCEDURE FOR EVALUATION AND MAINTENANCE OF

LIST II-20

TACKIFIERS FOR MULCHING

1. **Material:** Tackifiers for mulching. contractor will be responsible for purchasing and using only approved products.
2. **Specification:** Item 860.03(a)7
3. **Jurisdiction:** Product Evaluation Board,
Product Evaluation Engineer
4. **Job Acceptance Requirements:** No Job
Control samples required if material works
satisfactorily.
5. **Project Engineer's Responsibility:** Check
and assure that the materials are on the
approved list.
6. **Producer's Initial Requirements:**
Companies wishing to have products
evaluated for placement on this list should
furnish the Department's Product Evaluation
Engineer with the following:
 - 6.1 Name and address of the company producing
the product
 - 6.2 A standard material safety data sheet
 - 6.3 Submittal and testing fees according to
Department procedure BMTP-355.
7. **Producer's Maintenance Requirements:**
Companies with products on this list will be
expected to comply with the following to stay
on the list:
 - 7.1 Produce the same quality of material as the
material supplied for the original evaluation.
 - 7.2 Provide only approved products to Department
projects.
 - 7.3 Promptly report to the Department any
changes in company name, product name,
company address or company ownership.
 - 7.4 Notify the Department of any changes in
production of the product. Any alteration that
will change the product physically or
chemically will require a reevaluation of the
product.
8. **Laboratory Testing:** The Department may
require a field installation to prove the products
performance.
9. **Contractors' Requirements:** The prime
10. **Removal of Products:** Products may be
removed from this list for any of the following:
 - 10.1 Mislabeling products or substitution of
products other than those originally submitted.
 - 10.2 Failure to comply with any of the Department's
requirements for this type of material.
 - 10.3 Failure to work satisfactorily on the job.
11. **Correspondence:** All correspondence
concerning this list should be directed to the
following:
Product Evaluation Board
Alabama Department of Transportation
3704 Fairground Road
Montgomery, AL 36110